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The Titan Tractor is in a class by itself. Get it.

## Rural Municipality Forty-Mile.

Pursuant to the call of the Reeve, the Council of the Rural Municipality #5 Forty-Mile met at Westfield on Saturday, March 23rd, at 10 o'clock.

Upon motion by Councillor Sewell, Councillor T. H. Walker, was nominated for Reeve for the present year. Motion carried.

Upon motion Councillor Sewell was selected as Deputy Reeve. Motion carried.

Motion by Councillor Sewell that Secretary-Treasurer's salary be set at \$900 per annum. Carried.

Applications for the position were considered and motion that J. M. Gibbons be tendered the position. Motion carried.

Motion that assessor's salary be set at \$300. The assessment to consist of a thorough canvass of the municipality with a view to equalizing the assessments as to the character of the soil, distance from railway facilities, and other things that tend to raise or lower the actual cash value of the land.

Upon motion by Councillor Flammé, T. A. Reynar was appointed assessor for 1918. Motion carried.

Motion by Councillor Roberts that the auditor's salary be set at \$7.00 per day. Motion carried.

The appointment of auditor was laid over for further consideration.

Motion by Councillor Hopkins that we draft a by-law empowering the municipality to borrow money under the Municipal Seed Grain Act.

By-Law No. 19 of the Municipal District of Forty-Mile, No. 64.

A By-law relating to Seed Grain, passed by the Council of the Municipal District of Forty-Mile, No. 64, enacts as follows:

(1) The Municipal District may for the spring sowing season of 1918 advance seed grain on credit to farmers residing on patented lands, within the Municipal District, who, owing to bad crops or other adverse conditions, are unable to procure same, and the council may, to enable it make such advances, borrow upon the promissory note or notes of the Municipal District \$5,500 for the purchase of a supply thereof for distribution.

(2) The purchase price of all seed grain advanced hereunder shall be secured by promissory notes due on demand, and by registered seed grain items in favor of the Municipal district upon all crops grown upon the lands named in the application for the season after the date thereof, and by a charge upon said lands.

Done and passed at Westfield this 23rd day of April, 1918.

THOS. H. WALKER,  
Reeve.

J. M. GIBBONS,  
Sec-Treas.

The above by-law received its three readings and carried.

Motion by Councillor Flammé that we receive applications for seed grain until April 12th. Applicants to submit proof of ownership, same to be abstract of title or agreement of sale or in case of tenants, written consent from the owner.

The maximum amount of seed grain is \$300.00 per quarter section.

The following bills were ordered paid:

Bow Island Review, advertising financial statements ... \$100.52

T. A. Reynar, postmaster ..... 33.00

F. R. Elford, returning officer 35.00

M. Gedrich, deputy returning officer ..... 5.90

W. Potter, post clerk ..... 2.60

North West Financial Co., bond 9.90

A. W. Flammé, supervision of roads ..... 16.50

T. M. Conqueror, grader ..... 32.50

Stacy Lumber Co., material for culvert ..... 4.85

Stacy Lumber Co., material for culvert ..... 194.30

Oddie's well ..... 16.95  
Motion by Councillor Roberts that the penalty of \$3.00 refunded to be paid by C. N. Woods on Sec. 4-7-12, W. 4th, be added to his next tax notice. Carried.

Motion that the Secretary be instructed to refund to Geo. C. Miller, \$140.15 proceeds of sale of impounded cows. Carried.

Motion by Councillor Roberts that we purchase double the quantity of gopher poison that we had last year; also that we pay a bonus of two cents a tail for gopher tails. Carried.

Motion by Councillor Roberts that the Secretary be instructed to write W. W. Andrews that we consider we have settled for grading done by him.

Motion by Councillor Sewell that we remit the penalty to J. K. Kummert east half 15-7-10, N.E. 28-5-11 and N.E. 15-5-11, as Municipality was owing him money for work done at the time penalty was added.

The following schools' regulations were passed and ordered paid, if payment had not already been made:

Sunalta S. D. ..... \$100.00

Morning Star S. D. ..... 155.00

Halg S. D. ..... 150.00

Brownsdale S. D. ..... 260.00

Haycroft S. D. ..... 260.00

Balman S. D. ..... 409.00

Westfield S. D. ..... 290.00

Seba S. D. ..... 447.75

Sunalta S. D. ..... 100.00

Jauman S. D. ..... 475.00

Balman S. D. ..... 226.33

Neighbourhood S. D. ..... 469.53

Hightield S. D. ..... 650.00

Borden S. D. ..... 460.00

Carnegie S. D. ..... 260.00

Fertile Prairie S. D. ..... 360.00

Brownsdale S. D. ..... 360.00

Remainder S. D. ..... 100.00

Chief Coulee S. D. ..... 300.00

Motion to instruct the Secretary to remit the penalty to the new owners. Carried.

By-Law No. 26, empowering the council to borrow \$10,000 received its three readings.

Motion that we make a grant of \$75 towards fixing the grade leading to Bow Island. Carried.

Motion to adjourn to meet at Westfield, Saturday 13th, at 1 p.m. Carried.

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Place all on Equal Basis.

Uniform Administration of Military Service Act Saught By Questionnaire Method.

The great crisis through which the world is now passing has served to emphasize among a great many other things the axiom that responsibility is the price of liberty. Because equal privileges are enjoyed by all citizens of Canada, it is the duty of our Government to see, as far as it is able, that all are made to bear equal sacrifices. That the Dominion's war government is not unmindful of its duty in this respect is evidenced from the care that is being taken to ensure the equitable administration of the military service act.

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Dr. Astrof, analysis Edward

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## FURTHER AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AS BASIS OF FUTURE PROSPERITY

### WORKINGS OF AGRICULTURAL INSTRUCTION ACT

A Wide Field is Being Covered by the Assistance of the Federal Government in Setting Aside the Sum of Ten Million Dollars

For Distribution Among the Provinces

The promotion of welfare of the agricultural community as a basis for the industrial and commercial prosperity of the country, was the object aimed at by the parliament of Canada when, in 1913, at the instance of the Minister of Agriculture, the Honorable Martin Burrell, it adopted the measure known as the Agricultural Instruction Act.

By means of this act the sum of ten million dollars was set apart for distribution among the provinces over a period of ten years to provide for a greater extension of instruction and research work in agriculture.

An investigation made prior to the introduction of this measure has revealed two outstanding deficiencies in connection with agricultural education. In the first instance, the responsiveness to the teachings of college of agriculture and experimental farms did not seem to be an immediate and noteworthy improvement in the conditions existing in farm schools. This was found to be in the fact that little or no encouragement was given to the specific requirements of country boys and girls. The form of instruction was the same whether the child

### The American Sector

American Troops Prepared and Confident With Big Clash Comes

They are trained and seasoned men for the most part, these regulars on January 10 took over the Louvois sector to sustain the attack for any longer, but as a permanent frontier force. Their grenade has won repeated grants of France, our gun, the 75, are reported to have surpassed French records for speed and efficiency of fire.

With them, too, however, are many who have been serving sometimes as many as 600 to a regiment, including not only men of the army, but also those who have come into the last fall. They are scattered among the "veterans" of their various factories, and it is evident that they may learn their lesson more quickly than the camp; and already they have proved their mettle.

The Lorraine line is no sinecure, and the Belgian coast is also defended. It is the universal expectation that the stronger fleet can little or nothing without the co-operation of the army. It is the general opinion that no naval victory will bring his high edge and however anxious to determine the outcome, do ignore the military factor. The question is, what is the fleet's responsibility to defend the coast? What are the lines of communication?

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The admirals who flew their flag during the last great war had to maintain their blockade in spite of the fact that the country did not possess the military power which could have driven the enemy from the field. The circumstances did not favor such a course.

In the past few months India's keen interest in war has been brought in to assist the enemies of war. The experiences of war are being cheerfully communicated by the women of India, who are making a most useful part in all war work. The latest recruiting figures make a remarkable record. The number of the fighting classes and the generous flow of war contributions has been increased by the time unaltered. The latest gifts include the offer of Rao Cutch to contribute a sum of £36,000 for expenses and Gaukwar Baroda's gift of £33,000.

### Exports to Germany

Not only cotton and silk, but foodstuffs as well, have been exported to Germany. The amount of the exports in the past two years, according to the latest statistics involving Indian depots for former German demands. It is pointed out that to Switzerland in 1917 amounted to 400,000,000 lire as against 300,000,000 lire in 1916. One-half of the exports last year are said to have been sent to Switzerland.

"The Japanese are in two ways more fortunate than the Germans, who forced the Chinese fleet into Port Arthur, evicting the Russian fleet from the Spanish fleet to leave Santander to the British. But the Russo-Japanese war is of such recent date that it is hardly surprising that the Japanese captured Port Arthur, evicting the Russian fleet.

"The sea controls the land, as our ancestors used to say. The armaments of naval power exist, and apparently not only to the German bases, but to the Belgian coast."

Stripping a Razor on the Hand

It is claimed that the finest strip for a razor is the fleshly part of one's hand below the little finger. If it is cut, the thumb and strike finger of the right hand and strike finger of the left hand will grow back again. If you will do this, it is slowly to the fleshly part of the left hand. A little wisdom on the cutting edge is said to keep the blades constantly in first class condition.

"And now, children, we come to that important country, Germany, that is governed by a man called a Kaiser, said the teacher. 'Can any of you tell me what a Kaiser is? Yes, Willie?'

"Please, mam, a Kaiser is a sort of hot water springing up in the air and disturbing the earth."

PAIN? NOT A BIT! LIFT YOUR CORNS OR CALLUSES OFF

No hubub! Apply few drops then lift just like them away with fingers.

This new drug is an elixir compound discovered by a chemist. It is called fire zone, and can now be obtained at very little cost from any drug store. Apply a drop or two directly upon a tender spot, and instantly the soreness disappears. Shortly you will notice that you can lift it off, root and all, with the greatest ease.

"Not a twinge of pain, soreness or irritation; not even a slight burning either when applying freeze or afterwards."

This drug doesn't cost much, so save it for yourself so they they loosen and come right out.

It is a charm. For a few cents you can get rid of every kind of toe, as well as painful calluses on bottom of your feet. It never disappoints.

If you draggus hasn't any freeme yet, teach him to get a little bottle for you from his wholesale house.

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## Military Service Act

# Important Announcement to All EXEMPTED MEN and to the Public Generally

**I**N dealing with the very large number of claims for exemption brought forward for consideration in connection with Class 1 under the Military Service Act, it has occurred, as was inevitable, that as a result of false statements and difficulties put in the way of investigation, some individuals have secured exemption whose proper place is in the Army.

It is not the intention of the Government to allow these men to evade permanently their obligation to bear their part in the military defence of the Country and of the ideals for which we are fighting. To do so would defeat the purpose of the Act, and cause grave injustice to men in the second class necessarily called out to fill their places.

### Exemptions Granted on False Grounds

It is, therefore, proposed to scrutinize carefully all exemptions granted to date in order to separate those which have been granted on false or insufficient grounds from those that are well founded.

With this object in view the various Registrars under the Military Service Act have been instructed to issue a series of questionnaires to exempted men. These questionnaires must be filled up correctly and returned promptly under penalty of forfeiture of exemption for failure to do so.

### Exempted Men Who Have Changed Address

It is therefore important in their own interest that all exempted men who have changed their residence since their exemption was granted, who have not since notified the Registrar of such change, should notify him at once. Under the Regulations it is the duty of exempted men to keep the Registrar advised of any change of address, and failure to receive the questionnaire by reason of neglect of this duty must be treated as equivalent to failure to return the questionnaire after receipt.

### Citizens Urged to Assist

In many instances information has been furnished by members of the public which has led to the cancellation of exemptions obtained by false or misleading statements. Further co-operation of this character is invited. The Government regard it as the duty of all loyal citizens, not only to the Country, but to the men at the front, to assist in the work of the enforcement of the law on a just and lenient basis. Correspondence of this character will be treated as strictly confidential and will receive the fullest investigation.

CHARLES J. DOHERTY,  
Minister of Justice.

Correspondence should be directed to J. M. Carson, Esq., Registrar  
under the Military Service Act, Calgary, Alta.

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## Local and General

A new Act called the Amusement Tax Act has been introduced by the Provincial Government. This supercedes the Theatre-goer's Taxation Act, and it is expected to be in force by May 1st. The schedule of the new Act is as follows:

1. When the price of admission is from ten cents to twenty cents inclusive, a tax of one cent.

2. When the price of admission is more than twenty cents but not more than seventy-five cents, a tax of two and one-half cents.

3. When the price of admission is more than seventy-five cents, but not more than one dollar, a tax of five cents.

4. When the price of admission is more than one dollar, a tax of ten cents.

5. A tax of twenty-five cents shall be paid by every person attending any boxing bout or contest.

6. Where admission is given by pass or complimentary ticket a tax shall be payable at the highest rate charged for the performance to which admission is granted.

The great energy offensive on the western front is not going to be allowed to pass unchallenged by the ladies of the Red Cross in Bow Island. A bettering of living conditions has been in vogue and several cases of strikes for workers has already, we understand, met with a very gratifying response. If the attack carries out beyond the limits any further approaches will be made to the men in the front. We are told that the strike was started by the Bow Island branch during the next month or two will be a very noticeable and important one.

To thousands of our men in France the next few months will be a very trying and arduous period, but we hope that they may always approach their duty with the same spirit that has been shown by the men in the front. We trust that the spirit of patriotism that we possess and gratifying indeed it would be to find no man in the community in a position to give up other work and put his energies to this great national duty exemplified by the Red Cross. All honor to them.

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It seems to be long time since the lights of Bow Island were as well lighted as at present, and we cannot help congratulating our gas superintendents upon this fact.

The dance given by the Etobicoke Legion on Monday night in aid of McLaughlin's Home was fairly well attended, considering the fact that a blizzard was raging at the time. T. Fairhurst and Jerry Smith supplied the entertainment and a sum of about \$25 was made to be forwarded to the Home. The Red Cross supplied dainty refreshments during the evening.

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The Bow Island school trustees are desirous of finding a suitable name for their new school, and a prize we understand, will be given to the boy or girl that sends in the one most suitable. Suggestions should be sent to the Secretary, W. A. Bates, without delay.

An order-in-council has been issued by the Food Board prohibiting the wilful waste of any food, and where there is reason to believe that a quantity of food is going to waste, whether in private homes, restaurants, warehouses, or otherwise, the Food Board may order the owner to sell immediately. It is the duty of each municipality in Canada to enforce this. Persons violating this order are liable to a penalty not exceeding one thousand dollars.

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A pleasant little party gathered at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Peterson on Saturday afternoon to bid farewell to Mr. Firth, of the Bow Island R.N.A. staff, who left on Thursday to join with the Flying Corps at Winnipeg. Mr. Firth has ably filled the position of instructor at the school for a considerable period and many of the congregation felt they could not allow him to leave without some tangible token of their appreciation of his long and that reading an extract from the latter emphasizing the work which all felt at his leaving Bow Island. The members, however, said they felt compelled to let him go in the interests of his country, and one and all expressed the sincere hope that he might be spared to return to Bow Island when the war was over.

Full strength formaldehyde at the Hydro Drug Store.

A meeting of the ladies of All Saints was held on Thursday at the home of Mrs. A. Holson. The next meeting will be held on Thursday, April 18th, at Mrs. Kleutsch's.

Divine service will be held at All Saints Church Sunday next, April 18th, at 7:30 p.m.

A sad and fatal accident that happened to Mr. G. Allen last week has aroused a great deal of sympathy for the members of his family. It appears that Mr. Allen, who was returning home with a loaded gun, was descending a hill near Five Points when the wagon he was driving over a stone and threw the driver to the ground with considerable force. After a few minutes, however, he picked himself up and seemingly little the worse for the mishap. On arriving home he complained of pain in his side and though medical assistance was promptly procured, he nevertheless gradually passed away within a very short time after his accident. The lady was shipped on Friday to N.Dak. for treatment.

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**Revival Services at United Church.**

**Great Interest Manifested in Rev. Barton's Religious Effort.**

Great interest is being evinced in the series of special services conducted by the Rev. H. Arthur Barton, evangelist, at the United Church. The meetings commence on Easter Sunday and in spite of the furious blizzard there was a good attendance and the congregation was deeply impressed.

Barton made a powerful address. The subject was entitled—

"The Mysterious Finger," and the text taken from the passage in Daniel describing Babylon's fall. He said that men are weighed in the balance and found wanting.

The speaker, after portraying the conditions that prevailed in Ancient Babylon spoke of the different standards by which men were measured—such as the money standard—the social standard,



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etc. He then showed the heart-searching nature of the teaching and to come through the exercise of an enlightened conscience, and indicated in how many ways the verdict concerning men's lives would be "Weighed and found wanting."

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The subject on Sunday evening next, April 7th, will be "Paying the Piper." Service commences at 7.30 p.m. All are welcome.

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HEART SONGS—Post  
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Viceregal—Infanta March  
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SACRED—Ave Maria—Pie  
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Clementine—The Lonesome  
Road—The Story.

VAUDEVILLE—Town  
of Luckey Moose.

QUARTETTES—The  
Age—Bell of Christmas.

DANCING—Hide Fox Trot

—Lester in This One.

—Dance Step—By Hack Fox

—Rhythm Light Cavalry

—Guitar.

MARCHES—Blue White

Old Comrades—Royal Au-

ralians—Navy—Admiral.



## Good Cheer S.D.

Mr. Pete Negleski took Mr. Hubka and family for a pleasure ride Sunday and also took up the storm.

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The farmer of the neighborhood had everything ready to start farming Monday morning, but were greeted with a genuine "April Fool."

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Mr. John Jacobsen of the River district purchased an Emerson Big 4 phonograph of W. Parker, agent at Winnifred and John Deere Plows of Mr. Swannumon of Bow Island.

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Mr. Stengel is moving from the Kirch farm to his home in Bow Island and intends to trade the never-honored which he purchased recently.

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We were greeted by a white Easter and quite a number were caught in the snow storm.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Linquist entertained at their home on Easter Sunday the following guests:—Mr. and Mrs. Stengel and daughter, Elmira, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirch and son, Larry and Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Salisbury and little daughter Dorothy and Mr. J. P. Peasey and family. A sumptuous dinner was served and a good time was enjoyed by all present.

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An auto driven by John Briggeman came to a standstill in the mud on the grade road of Mr. Stengel's on Sunday, Chassey Thompson came along and tried to cut a pigeon trail around the stuck car, but came to grief in the same way. Old Dobbin and Art Lindquist were called on the scene and soon rescued the stranded cars.

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## Burdett.

On Tuesday next, April 9th, a big dance will be given in N. F. Edlund's new barn. During the evening a two-year-old colt will be auctioned off for the benefit of the Red Cross. There will also be auctioned off a two year old colt for the benefit of Mr. Stewart, who recently sustained a bad accident by falling down a well. Supper will be served by the Red Cross and music supplied by Ryggs orchestra. Everybody is welcome.

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The Custos Office at Burdett still maintains a disposition to remain on the upward grade.

For the twelve months ending March 31st of this year this office shows a revenue of \$20,107.19. This is an increase of \$11,591.18 over last year.

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The Burdett garage, formerly operated by Alex Waddell, changed hands last week and is now being managed by A. A. Ley, who has been given the agency for the Dodge Bros. motor car for the surrounding district.

Mr. Ley, it may be added, has had a long and varied experience in the auto business and was for some time connected with one of the most important concerns in Winnipeg. He has taken up his work here with full confidence in the belief that Burdett presents a splendid opportunity for a really thriving auto business and intends to devote his whole time in this direction.

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## Winnifred.

Mrs. Teddy Winchcombe gave a delightful farewell party recently in honor of her mother, Mrs. Schell, who left for B.C. on March 28th.

Mrs. H. D. McLean of Kingston, Ont., who has been visiting her brother, Harry Grant, left on Saturday to return to her home.

Mrs. Paul Buehring expects to move on to the ranch about May 1st for the summer months.

Mrs. Darrell Fisher gave a progressive five hundred party on Saturday, March 30th, to a large number of friends, prizes being awarded as follows:-Mrs. H. Flett, ladies' prize; Mrs. M. J. Collins, consolation; Paul Buehring, gentlemen's prize; Teddy Winchcombe, consolation. A most delightful lunch was served at eleven o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Davis are moving into their new home recently purchased by them of John McCloud.

Mrs. James Larson and Mrs. Harvey Davis were in Bow Island between trains on Monday visiting Mrs. Frank Reams.

Frank Bowlin expects to open a new restaurant with ice-cream and soda-fountain parlor on May 1st.

Mrs. V. M. Bryant gave a 5 o'clock dinner on March 30th in honour of Mrs. H. D. McLean before leaving for Kingston, Ont. Mr. A. D. Whitney and Mrs. Arthur Mack of Bow Island and Harry Grant, Geo. Oliver and M. H. Smith were the guests at the table.

Rev. H. Wood on Easter Sunday, basing his text on The Resurrection, preached a most inspiring sermon. It was greatly appreciated by the large number present.

## How to Grow Potatoes

When three hundred and thirty-two years ago, Sir Walter Raleigh introduced the potato from this continent into Ireland, nobody could have foreseen or imagined the immense part that it would come to play in feeding the world. It was nearly eighty years before the Royal Society of England took up the cultivation of the potato as a cheap food in case of famine. In another eighty years, famine in Scotland brought the potato into extensive notice as a cheap article of food. Another thirty years, saw France taking notice of its value. Mr. W. T. Macoun, the Dominion Horticulturalist, briefly explains all this in a hundred-page bulletin recently issued by the Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, in which is also given complete and comprehensive information as to the cultivation of the potato. Mr. Macoun goes

fully into his subject, dealing with the preparation of the soil, of the varieties of seedlings, the manner and method of planting, of protection against insect pests and diseases, of the time to plant, of the districts best suited to the different varieties of the crop that should be taken during growth, and of harvesting, storing, and shipping. Particulars are also given of the results of experiments and tests made at the Experimental Farms and Stations throughout the Dominion. In short, pretty well everything in the shape of information that is of value to potato growers with many exact and interesting illustrations, is to be found in this bulletin that can be had free on addressing the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Women of Canada—the kitchen is your fort. Food will win or lose the war.



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